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**PATENT** 

Group Art Unit: 2877

Examiner: Not Assigned

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Dwayne Yount et al.

Serial No.: 09/853,043

Filed: May 11, 2001

For: A SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PROVIDING

IMPROVED EVENT READING AND DATA PROCESSING CAPABILITIES IN A FLOW

**CYTOMETER** 

## SUBMISSION OF SUBSTITUTE FORMAL DRAWINGS

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants submit herewith three (3) sheets of substitute formal drawings for the subject application, which includes Figs. 1-3. These substitute drawings are submitted to overcome the Examiner's objection in the Office Action mailed January 15, 2003. Applicants will file corresponding amendments to the specification in an amendment to be filed subsequently.

Respectfully submitted,

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